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Date: January 2, 2003

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Washington, DC 20231

CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Sir:

The address of the correspondence attorney in the above-referenced case
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Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Hamilton
Registration No. 40,464

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Pamela Shirling

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NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE

Sir:

Assignee hereby revokes all powers of attorney previously granted with respect to the above-identified patent application, and appoints:

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William A. Teoli, Jr., Registration No. 33,104; Thomas Hamilton, Registration No. 40,464; and Rose M. Allen, Registration No. 35,424; as its attorney, with full power of substitution and revocation to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

Please direct all communications as follows:

Rose M. Allen
Registration No. 35,424

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Assignee hereby elects under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71 to prosecute this patent application.

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The undersigned Assignee hereby certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of a chain of title from the inventor of the patent application identified above to the current assignee as shown below:

1. From Bean, et al. to Zeneca Limited by Assignment, a copy of which is enclosed.

2. From Zeneca Limited to Syngenta Limited, by Certificate of Incorporation On Change of Name, dated November 21, 2000, a copy of which is enclosed.

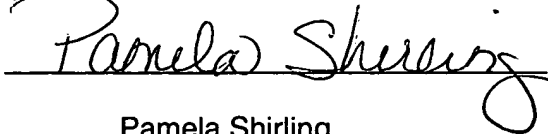
The documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above have been reviewed and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in Syngenta Limited, the name of the last Assignee identified above.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the Assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

SYNGENTA LIMITED

By:



Pamela Shirling

(Print or type name of person signing)

Title: Authorized Signatory

Date: January 2, 2003

ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S),

Michael John BEAN, Julia Lynne CUTLER

hereby sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) to ASSIGNEE, ZENECA Limited, a company created and existing under the laws of England and Wales, having its Head Office at 15 Stanhope Gate, London, W1Y 6LN England, and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries in and to, any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled: AGROCHEMICAL FORMULATION.

and which is found in

- (a) X U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith;
- (b) X U.S. patent application executed on 20 August 2001;
- (c) X U.S. application serial no. filed on ; 09/913,856
- (d) X International application no. PCT/GB00/00249

and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to Letters Patent any reissue or reexamination thereof;

ASSIGNOR(S) hereby covenant(s) that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment;

ASSIGNOR(S) further covenant(s) that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation, or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof. An attorney of record is authorized and requested by the execution of this assignment to insert into this assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when officially known.

Signed this

16th day of August, 2001

WITNESS: [Signature]

DATE: 8/16/01

Sixteenth of August - 2001

Michael John Bean
Michael John BEAN

WITNESS: [Signature]

DATE: 16th August 2001

9th day of August, 2001

WITNESS: [Signature]

DATE: 9th August 2001

Julia Lynne Ramsay
Julia Lynne RAMSAY (née CUTLER)

WITNESS: [Signature]

DATE: 9th August 2001

☐ Additional page(s) are attached hereto.



CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION ON CHANGE OF NAME

Company No. 2710846

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that

ZENECA LIMITED

having by special resolution changed its name, is now incorporated
under the name of

SYNGENTA LIMITED

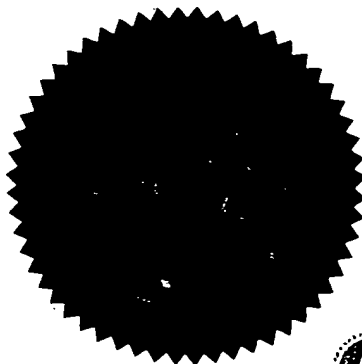
Given at Companies House, London, the 21st November 2000

I hereby certify this to be a true
and accurate copy of the original.

ANTHONY BROOKER
Notary Public

BRACKNELL
ENGLAND

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MR. N. RICHARDS

For The Registrar Of Companies

C O M P A N I E S H O U S E

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THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

Company No. 2710846

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that

SYNGENTA LIMITED (originally called HACKREMCO (NO. 757) LIMITED, changed its name on 25th September 1992 to ICI Bioscience Limited, which was changed on 18th November 1992 to ZENECA LIMITED, which was changed on 21st November 2000 to SYNGENTA LIMITED, each change having been made by special resolution) was incorporated under the Companies Act 1985 as a limited company on 29th April 1992.

The Registrar further certifies that according to the documents on the file of the company, the situation of the registered office is FERNHURST, HASLEMERE, SURREY, GU27 3JE.

The registered office was previously notified as being situated at 15 STANHOPE GATE, LONDON W1Y 6LN. *****

Given at Companies House, Cardiff the 16th February 2001

Richard J Evans

RICHARD J EVANS

for the Registrar of Companies



Companies House

— for the record —

**SYNGENTA LIMITED
POWER OF ATTORNEY**

BY THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY SYNGENTA LIMITED a Company duly organised and existing under and by virtue of the laws of England and having its registered office at Syngenta, European Regional Centre, Priestley Road, Surrey Research Park, Guildford, Surrey GU2 7YH, United Kingdom (hereinafter called "the Company")

(A) **HEREBY** nominates constitutes and appoints JOANNA C CHANDLER, JULIE A BOWDICH, MARGARET A ARNOLD, JENNIFER M BIDDLE, ANNE TARRY, CLARE DOWLING, LILLY SITZLER-SPICHER, LEA FRANIER, CORNELIA SCHILLER, ALICE EMMENEGGER, JOCELYNE CERONI, MARTINA SIMON, ASTRID STEHLIN, LANEISHA HAYES, MELISSA HARDY, GAIL CORNELIA GRIFFIN, SUSAN HOLDER, PAMELA SHIRLING, KIMBERLEY WRIGHT and SHELLEY CALLAGY to be the true and lawful Attorneys of the Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Attorneys") for and on behalf of the Company jointly and severally to act throughout the world in the matters set out below relating to applications for Patents for Inventions (which terms shall include certificates of supplementary protection inventorship certificates and the like) (hereinafter referred to as "Patents") and to the registration of Designs, Design Rights, Utility Models, Plant Variety Rights and equivalent rights and Copyright (hereinafter referred to as "Other Intellectual Property") already filed or hereafter to be filed in the name of the Company (whether solely or jointly with one or more other parties) that is to say

- (1) to prepare and file all documents, requests and declarations for obtaining the grant of Patents and extensions of term thereof, and for obtaining and maintaining the registration of Other Intellectual Property; including power to sign and execute applications for European Patents and to sign and execute all other documents pursuant to all proceedings established by the European Patent Convention; including power to sign and execute applications under the Patent Cooperation Treaty and to sign and execute all other documents pursuant to all proceedings established by the Patent Cooperation Treaty
- (2) to apply for and obtain any certificates of registration and renewal;
- (3) to pay the lawful fees and taxes and receive all official certificates;
- (4) to recover any documents relating to any such applications as aforesaid as well as any fees and taxes that may have been paid;
- (5) to apply for copies or duplicates of any official certificates;
- (6) to appoint and instruct any Counsel, Solicitor, Patent Attorney or other professional representative or agent (whether or not an employee of the Company) to represent the Company in any and all matters relating to the application for, prosecution, maintenance, renewal, amendment, cancellation or abandonment of Patents and Other Intellectual Property belonging to the Company including the defence of oppositions or petitions for revocation or cancellation or like proceedings respecting such Patents

and Other Intellectual Property belonging to other parties and to revoke and cancel all or any such appointments and instructions;

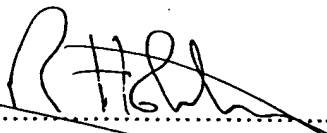
AND GENERALLY to do, sign, execute, give and accept all such deeds, documents, acts, notices, requisitions, communications and things as may be necessary for all or any of the purposes aforesaid; and

(B) **HEREBY** confirms and ratifies and, for itself and its successors and assigns, covenants to confirm and ratify whatsoever the Attorneys jointly or severally shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of those presents.

(C) **HEREBY REVOKES** the Power of Attorney made in favour of Joanna Carmen Chandler, Julie Anne Bowdich, Margaret Ann Arnold, Jennifer M Biddle, Anne Tarry and Clare Dowling dated 10th May 2002.

IN WITNESS whereof this power of attorney has been executed as a deed this
1st day of July 2002.

Signed as a Deed by SYNGENTA LIMITED


.....COMPANY DIRECTOR


.....COMPANY SECRETARY

POWER OF ATTORNEY

APOSTILLE

(Hague Convention of 5 October 1961 / Convention de La Haye du 5 octobre 1961)

1. Country: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
Pays: Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord

This public document / Le présent acte public

2. Has been signed by **A Brooker**
a été signé par
3. Acting in the capacity of **Notary Public**
agissant en qualité de
4. Bears the seal/stamp of **The Said Notary Public**
est revêtu du sceau/timbre de

Certified/Attesté

5. at London/à Londres
6. the/le 15 July 2002
7. by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs /
par le Secrétaire d'Etat Principal de Sa Majesté aux Affaires Etrangères et du Commonwealth.

8. Number/sous No **H050198**

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10. Signature: **J. Ireland**

For the Secretary of State / Pour le Secrétaire d'Etat

